



BUDAPEST TREATY ON THE INTERNATIONAL  
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INTERNATIONAL FORM

VIABILITY STATEMENT

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<b>I. DEPOSITOR</b>	<b>II. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MICROORGANISM</b>
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<b>III. VIABILITY STATEMENT</b>	
The viability of the microorganism identified under II above was tested on <sup>2</sup> 25.07.2001 . On that date, the said microorganism was	
<div><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></div><sup>3</sup> viable</div> <div><div><input type="checkbox"/></div><sup>3</sup> no longer viable</div>	

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IV. CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE VIABILITY TEST HAS BEEN PERFORMED <sup>4</sup>

V. INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITARY AUTHORITY

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